IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1349 OF 2007

Shri Dhaval Jhaveri. ...Applicant.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent.

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Mr.S.P.Kadam, Advocate for the Applicant.
Mr.V.B.Konde-Deshmukh, APP, for State.

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CORAM : SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.

DATED : 21st April, 2007.

P.C.:

1. Heard the learned Advocate for the applicant and the learned APP for the State.

2. The applicant seeks anticipatory bail in Criminal Case No.892/S/2004 pending before the learned Metropolitan Magistrate, 9th Court, Patiyala House, New Delhi for the offence punishable under Section 138 of N.I.Act.

3. The learned Advocate for the applicant states that in the said case a NBW has been issued against the applicant. Hence, he apprehends that he may be arrested. He submitted that if the applicant is

protected for some period of time, the applicant will prefer an appropriate application for cancellation of NBW before the appropriate Court at New Delhi.

4. Looking to the above facts, I am inclined to pass the following order :-

ORDER

i. To enable the applicant to prefer the necessary application before the appropriate Court in New Delhi for cancellation of NBW, the applicant is granted interim protection in respect of arrest till 11.5.2007.

ii. In the said period, in the event of arrest the applicant shall be released on cash bail of Rs.3000/-(Three Thousand Only).

5. Application is disposed of accordingly.

(SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.)